

NATIVES EAGER TO SEE BIG SHIPS

Decks of the Great Fighting Machines Crowded Throughout the Entire Day.

OFFICERS ATTEND FEAST

Hawaiian Girls, Decked Out in Wreaths and Chains of Blossoms, Dance for Americans.

HONOLULU, July 18.—The battleship fleet kept open house to-day, and throngs of visitors crowded the decks of the big fighting machines from early morning until sunset. The launches from the fleet and the harbor boats were busy throughout the day carrying the guests of the fleet back and forth. The foreign population of the city turned out in thousands to inspect the ships, Japanese, Chinese, Filipinos, Hawaiians and many other nationalities being prominent in the crowds of sight-seers.

Ashore the officers attended a luau, or native feast, which was concluded with dances by Hawaiian girls decked out in wreaths and chains of blossoms, in accordance with native customs. The men wandered at will about the city, and games and athletic sports of many kinds were offered for their amusement.

Officers Taken on Excursion. The officers were also guests of the entertainment committee on an excursion to Port Harbor, the site of the proposed naval station. The trip was made over the picturesque route of the Oahu Railway.

Rear-Admiral Sperry to-day returned the official visit of the foreign consuls. Mrs. F. M. Swaney to-night remained in the city in honor of the officers of the fleet. Monday night Chief Justice Laddwell, of the Federal Court, will give a dinner to Rear-Admiral Sperry and the entertainment committee will provide amusement for the enlisted men in the form of a band concert at Waikiki Beach. On account of the insufficient sleeping accommodations on the ship, Monday night Chief Justice Laddwell, of the Federal Court, will give a dinner to Rear-Admiral Sperry and the entertainment committee will provide amusement for the enlisted men in the form of a band concert at Waikiki Beach.

To Keep Up Communication. The auxiliary Ajax sailed yesterday for Pago Pago, and to-day the Panther and the Yankton sailed. The Panther going by way of Lahana with mail for the three divisions of the fleet, still at anchor there.

The Glacier will sail for the Fiji Islands to-morrow, and one day in advance of the rest of the fleet will depart for the same point.

By this arrangement the fleet will be in constant communication with the cable as the Glacier will remain in touch by wireless with that station and the fleet after its departure from Honolulu. After reaching Pago Pago, the Yankton and the Panther will continue southward to the Fiji Islands between the fleet and the Glacier, maintaining constant communication until the fleet reaches Auckland.

The officers of the battleship Nebraska were to-day released from quarantine. Two hundred and fifty men of the crew passed a bacteriological examination, the doctors pronounced them healthy, and the remainder of the crew is being examined as rapidly as possible, and all those ill will be transferred to the hospital ship Relief. The Nebraska will then be ordered to take coal at Lahana and then return here to sail with the fleet.

WRECKED BY DYNAMITE

Negroes, Preparing for Festival, Found Building in Ruins.

ARVONA, VA., July 18.—The colored Odd-Fellows' Hall and meeting place for the month of July, which was wrecked by dynamite at an early hour this morning. The building is located in the extreme western section of Arvona, where a large number of negroes live. The great preparations have been in progress for several days for a sort of feast or field day at the hall, and on the night in which the hall was wrecked, it was evidently the purpose of the unknown persons who applied the dynamite to have the spectacle of the colored people gathered for the feast and field day.

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HEAVY ATTENDANCE

Lively Interest Displayed in Summer Normal Schools.

Officials of the State Department of Education are much gratified at the heavy attendance upon the Summer Normal Schools throughout the State. Figures received by the Department indicate that the total number of teachers at the sixteen institutions is 3,409, which is an increase of 1,119 over the attendance of last year.

The total is made up as follows: University of Virginia, 500; Dig Sione Gap, 308; Fredericksburg, 308; Martinsburg, 170; Washington, 250; Emory, 250; Petersburg, 200 (colored); Farmville, 200; Winchester, 160; Norfolk, 150; Galax, 125; Newport News, 125 (colored); Manassas, 100 (colored); Cambridge, 60 (colored); Port Conway, 60 (colored); Chesapeake City, 50 (colored).

Of the 3,409 pupil-teachers, 2,887 are white and 522 are colored. The increase

MRS. MADGE CLAYTON.



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Columbus, Ohio, June 1, 1936.—Mrs. Madge Clayton, St. Catharines, Ont., Can., in a letter to Dr. Hartman, says: "For years I have suffered terribly with a kidney and bladder trouble. The pain in my back by spells was so great I could scarcely stand on my feet, and such terrible headaches and pains around my heart, and was so nervous all the time that life seemed a burden to me."

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"I wrote Dr. Hartman, and stated my trouble, and he promptly replied."

"I followed his directions, and after taking four bottles of Peruna can stand on my feet and work all day with comfort."

"The pain in my back and head has entirely left me, and I am not so nervous, and can say I am completely cured from all kidney trouble."

over last year in white teachers attending the Summer Normals is \$23; of colored teachers, 226.

THE RUNNERS AT FREMONT

Will Rest To-day, and Early Start to-morrow.

TOLEDO, OHIO, July 18.—Young Men's Christian Association runners between New York and Chicago arrived at Fremont, Ohio, at 10:12 P. M., making the run from Bellevue to Fremont in 1 hour and 36 minutes. This run was made by men from the Bellevue department.

The race starts again Monday morning at 2 o'clock, when Bellevue men will make the run to Toledo, thirty-six miles, expecting to arrive at 6 A. M. Toledo men will make the run from this city to Adrian.

HONDURAN REVOLUTION OVER

President Davila Telegraphs That the End Has Come.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The Associated Press has received the following despatch from General Davila, president of Honduras:

"Tegucigalpa, Honduras, July 11: 'The government has put an end to the revolutionary movement in ten days. The decision battle was fought at Nacama. The enemy was defeated and escaped into Salvador. (Signed) 'DAVILA.'"

ASSASSINATE GENERAL HEYDT

Commander of Turkish Forces Slain by Officer of 'Young Turkey' Movement.

SALONIKA, EUROPEAN TURKEY, July 18.—General Osman Heydt, commander of the Turkish forces at Monastir, was assassinated in the barracks at Monastir to-day by an officer connected with the 'Young Turkey' movement.

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LIGHTNING STRIKES MEN ABOUT TO PLAY BALL

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MACON, Ga., July 18.—At Bullard's, seventeen miles from here, to-day a bolt of lightning killed young Dan Harrell, and fatally injured a negro, besides shocking many others. Harrell and others had just assembled to play a game of baseball.

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TALK OVER AFFAIRS IN THE FAR SOUTH

President and Advisers Consider Central and South American Problems.

RETICENT ABOUT CONFERENCE

The Presence of Mr. Buchanan Thought to Have Been Significant, but He, Too, Is Mum.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

YFETI BAY, N. Y., July 18.—The President was in conference for several hours to-day with Attorney-General Bonaparte, Acting Secretary of State Robert Bacon, Enrique Creel, Mexican ambassador to the United States, and W. I. Buchanan, formerly United States minister to the Argentine Republic and Panama, and one of the foremost authorities on South and Central American affairs.

Although no definite statement of the matters under discussion could be obtained, it is understood that the situation in Honduras, Guatemala, Venezuela and other South American storm centers was gone into at length. As he was leaving, Secretary Bacon expressed the belief that the South American troubles had simmered down until there was no further cause for alarm.

Bonaparte Is Facetious.

Attorney-General Bonaparte came down from New York on the 11:19 train. He said that he had been called to confer with the President, but was not certain of the exact nature of the business.

When asked if he would talk with the President in regard to the appeal of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association for immediate action against the paper manufacturers' pool, the Attorney-General said, laughingly, that he knew nothing about the matter, but thought that some action should be taken against the pool of reporters in which he found himself.

He was equally uncommunicative on his return from Sagamore Hill. He got back to the city on the 11:19 train, and was asked to catch an early afternoon train, and would only say that he had finished his business much sooner than he had expected.

Ellis May Succeed Pardy.

One of the matters which, it is understood, were discussed by the Attorney-General and the President was the appointment of a successor to Assistant Attorney-General Milton D. Pardy, who has recently been made judge of the District Court of Minnesota. Wade Ellis, the present Attorney-General of Ohio, had been mentioned for the place.

Secretary Bacon came down by automobile from New York to attend the meeting at the Hill. He brought with him the Mexican Ambassador and Mr. Buchanan, both of whom had accompanied him to New York from Washington. Secretary Bacon often runs up to his summer home at Westbury, near here, for the week's end, and to escape the heat of Washington, where he is engaged in sitting in the State Department, during the absence of Secretary Bacon.

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Mr. Buchanan's Mission.

W. I. Buchanan was representative at the Pan-American Conference at Rio Janeiro last summer, and more recently accompanied Senator Creel to the inauguration at Costa Rica of the court of arbitration for Central American States. His presence at the conference was in considerable part to assist in the work of the court.

He would say nothing concerning his talk with the President. Senator Creel left for New York on an afternoon train, and will probably return at once to Washington. Mr. Buchanan accompanied him.

Chief Wilkie, of the secret service, came to Oyster Bay this afternoon to inspect the President's guard. He spent some time at the executive office with Secretary Loeb. The report that Nebraska Republicans are to petition President Roosevelt to take the stump and save them from Bryan gave Secretary Loeb a chance to say once more that under no circumstances will the President make political speeches during the campaign.

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Rothert & Co., MAY BE PROSECUTED IF INCREASE RATES

Judge Clements of Opinion That Such Increase as Proposed Violates Sherman Law.

DO NOT EXPECT ADVANCE

Interstate Commerce Commission Doubts That the Railroads Will Really Act.

(Times-Dispatch Bureau, Munsey Building, Washington, D. C., July 18.)

It is probable that if the railroads undertake to make a general advance in freight rates, prosecution under the Sherman antitrust law will be undertaken by the government. Judge Clements, chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, is of the opinion that such general increase agreed upon by an association of railroads would come within the purview of the Sherman antitrust law for the prevention of combinations in restraint of trade.

Judge Clements does not express this opinion as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, but as a lawyer.

It may be stated that the Interstate Commerce Commission does not believe that there will be an increase in rates at this time, despite the action of the Southeastern Freight Association and the Southeastern Mississippi Valley Association at Louisville yesterday, which action provided for an increase of from 4 to 10 cents a hundred in rates on roads south of the Ohio and east of the Mississippi river.

The roads may increase their freight rates, but the Interstate Commerce Commission will be much surprised if this course is taken. And if such increase is made through agreement of railway associations, it is extremely probable that efforts will be made to have the government institute prosecution under the Sherman antitrust act.

Powers of Commission.

In speaking of the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission in the case where an advance in freight rates has been made by the railroads, Chairman Knapp, of the commission, said to-day:

"The railroads must file their tariffs with the commission with thirty days' notice of a contemplated change. Changes in rates between competitive points must be made simultaneously by all the roads operating between these points. This, in a measure, protects the shipper. When a railroad files notice of an increase in its freight rates, the commission on its own motion, makes an investigation as to reasonableness of the advance."

"In the case where the commission acts on its own motion, however, it cannot issue an order. If a shipper makes a complaint to the commission against a railroad, charging an unjust increase in rates, each side is given a hearing, and the commission can then issue an order based on its decision in the case."

"Should it develop that the increase was made through concerted action, the commission would very likely refer the matter to the Attorney-General. The Department of Justice can also call upon the commission to investigate, and the commission can then issue an order based on its decision in the case."

"The commission would base its investigation on the conditions existing on the roads making the increases, considering each case separately. It may be found that the roads in the South would be justified in increasing their rates, while the roads in the North would not be justified in doing so. In each case the railroads would be given every opportunity to present their case. While the commission is an administrative body, its duties are very analogous to those of a judicial body, and the same form is used—a complaint, an answer and a hearing."

Justification For Increase.

"Justification for increase in freight rates, if there is to be such an increase, may be found, if at all, only in the fact that increased cost of operation and maintenance of railroads has reached a point where reasonable profit on money invested in the railroads is impossible from the revenue they now receive."

"In determining whether rates are reasonable, careful consideration is necessary of three factors—that good wages be paid railroad employees; that present business conditions be kept to a satisfactory standard; and that new facilities be provided to meet ever increasing demand for them."

STABS WIFE AND SON

Man From Whom Divorce Sued Says Wife Stabbed Him First.

TAMPA, FLA., July 18.—James E. Lewis, clerk at the Tampa Northern Railway freight office, early to-day fatally stabbed his wife and seriously wounded his son, aged three, at their home and was captured later in the woods near the mulberry springs line car barns. The mob which had been waiting for his return on lynching had disbanded and he was taken quietly to jail. Lewis had a dangerous wound in his breast and declared his wife stabbed him with a pair of scissors before he attacked her.

The wife will die. She claims Lewis stabbed her and her son because she refused to live with him. Divorce suit was filed by the woman against him yesterday. While officers and the mob with bloodhounds were scouring the country for him this morning Lewis said he would not come out of his cell to face the mob.

PORTSMOUTH MAN APPOINTED CHARLOTTE HALL'S COMMANDANT

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BALTIMORE, Md., July 18.—S. W. Anderson, of Richmond, Va., has been appointed commandant of Charlotte Hall Military Academy, St. Mary's county, Md. Mr. Anderson is only twenty-two years old, and a graduate of the Virginia Military Institute. Charlotte Hall is one of the oldest institutions of learning in Maryland. It was founded in 1820, and numbers among its alumni many prominent men.

WILL TELL WHY HE REMOVED MAN WHO DEFEATED HIM

ATLANTA, Ga., July 18.—It was intimated to-night that Governor Hoke Smith would not come to the State Legislature, explaining the removal of Governor-elect Joseph M. Brown from the State Railroad Commission. This removal was one of the issues discussed in the last gubernatorial campaign.

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DO NOT KNOW WHY PRIEST WITHDREW

Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishop Farley Regret Course of Father Mulvey.

MAY HAVE SECRET REASON

This Usually the Case in Such Matters, Says the Cardinal. Going to Jubilee.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, July 18.—Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishop Farley, who sailed to-day for Italy with a party of fifty other Catholic clergymen to attend the golden jubilee of the Pope in Rome, earnestly discussed the reported resignation of Father Mulvey, Brooklyn from the priesthood. The party was aboard the Koenig Albert, of the Norwegian North German Lloyd Line, which will land them at Naples.

Cardinal Gibbons was of the opinion that perhaps the youth of the priest had something to do with his resignation. Father Mulvey had served nearly nine years.

"Perhaps that explains it in a way," he said. "Such things are more apt to happen when a man is young. I must say that I feel inclined to suspect that there is another cause which does not appear publicly. That is usually so in cases of this kind. There is usually a secret underlying cause. I do not say that that is so. I say only that I suspect it. I have known it to happen so frequently. But I know nothing about the case. I have never met the priest that I know of. He is a stranger to me. It is in a deplorable, very deplorable indeed. Whenever I hear of anything like this I cannot help feeling the greatest pity for the minister who offends."

"It must be particularly painful for them. This is the first departure from the church in a long time. It is at least the first of which I have heard. Oh, no; I do not think that I have heard for further resignations. I do not see that that is a logical sequence."

Could Not Account For It.

Archbishop Farley said that so far as he knew he was not personally acquainted with Father Mulvey. He said that such things did not happen frequently in the Catholic Church, and that he could not account for it. "I am always inclined to seek another motive," he continued. "Plainly speaking, I believe that there is another motive beneath what Father Mulvey says, although I have no means of knowing."

Nobody could be found at the parish house of St. Edward's Church to-day who would discuss the case further. It was said at the house where Father Mulvey is at present staying, that the family had gone to Rockaway Beach for the day and evening.

Hardly another topic was talked of among the clergy who gathered at the pier in order to see Cardinal Gibbons and the others depart.

Offering Unusually Large.

Archbishop Farley is taking with him to Rome the Peter's pence, which every year is remitted to the Vatican. He made no definite statement as to the size of the offering, beyond the fact that it would be larger than ever before. A draft for the amount is made out to the papal almoner.

NET CLOSING ON MURDERER

Philadelphia Detectives Think They Have Found Dr. Wilson's Slayer.

PHILADELPHIA, July 18.—According to Superintendent of Police Taylor, here is every indication that an arrest will soon be made in the case of Dr. W. H. Wilson, who was killed three weeks ago by drinking poisoned ale that had been sent him by a woman.

Philadelphia detectives are working close to the person suspected. During the greater part of yesterday they had him under personal observation. Neither the superintendent nor the detectives were in any haste to arrest the man, but they were waiting for a chance to catch him when he was alone.

According to the police the person now being watched is an expert operator on the typewriter and on the typewriter. This would have made it a simple matter to him to have written the letters to the coroner from Bristol and Boston, after the murder, describing how Dr. Wilson was killed. It would also give him access to type with which the letter to Wilson, purporting to have come from the Peter Schlemm Brewing Company, was printed. The style of type used in this letterhead is to be found in the establishment where the suspect works.

Further credence is given to the theory of the detectives by the fact that the person suspected left his wife under suspicion of having been in the city several weeks ago, and was so deeply affected that he was said to have made threats against some one.

KILLED FOR HIS MONEY

William Williams Believed to Have Been Slain for What He Had.

DOVER, DEL., July 18.—Police officials of Queen Anne county, Md., express the opinion that William Williams, the Maryland farmer whose body was found hanging to a tree last Tuesday, was murdered for his money, as he was known to carry anywhere from \$10 to \$50 with him at all times.

Thomas Williams, a son of the dead man, to-day reiterated his statement made at the cemetery after the funeral of his father, that he wanted a full investigation made of the affair and would insist upon the authorities doing this. Also that he would offer a liberal reward for the perpetrator of the murder.

The